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**Small Overlight**  
"Did you cancel all my engage-  
ments, as I told you, Smith?"  
"Yes, sir, but Lady Millicent did  
not take it very well. She said you  
were to marry her next Monday."

**A Miss as Good as a Mile**  
"Met a beautiful girl, like some-  
thing in the West Indies."  
"Jamaica?"  
"No, quite."

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swinging, rhythmic marches  
new song hits  
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lectures  
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Editor and Publisher  
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1100 to the Capital Street

**RUNNING THE  
FARMER'S BUSINESS**  
A few days ago a literary busi-  
ness man was discussing the pre-  
siding hard times in the grain  
growing industry of the west.

The lawyer, he said, doesn't know  
how to run his business. He should  
do what he should do that, and  
he has himself to blame for most of  
his trouble.

Across the street was a store  
holding a bankrupt sale, and a  
block away was another store across  
the top of which a great banner an-  
nounced "Closing Sale—Forced out  
of Business." And I wondered if  
the merchants of the city knew how  
to run THEIR business.

The farmer gets a lot of free and  
unwanted advice from people whose  
handicap is better than their fore-  
sight and skill, after the fact is  
over, tell you that you have bet on  
the wrong horse.

Some farmers do not manage their  
affairs as efficiently as might be  
done, but the same applies to people  
in every line of business. The  
farmer wants to make as much  
money as he can in the shortest  
possible time, and so does everybody  
else. Unfavorable weather or re-  
conomic conditions in his own or  
other countries may bring adversity.  
He fails to reach the proper time for  
seed, and he finds it necessary to  
adjust his scheme of living, per-  
haps his system of farming, to com-  
e with the new situation.

This readjusting is now taking  
place. Some farmers are forced to  
cut their expenditures to the very  
bone. Some are weighing the  
advantages which may be expected  
from growing different crops, from  
drainage, or from raising the stock.  
In this the farmer is being assisted  
by experimental farms, agricultural  
experts, and farm journals. Out of  
it all will come a stabilization of  
the agricultural industry of the  
west, and a resulting benefit to  
everybody.

### WHAT IS A SURPLUS

The Alberta Provincial Govern-  
ment has announced a surplus of  
\$25,176 for the year ending March  
31, 1932.

This sounds encouraging, and the  
taxpayer has claims of possible tax  
reduction, due to the efficient man-  
agement of the business affairs of  
the province until he learns further  
that during the same period of  
time, the provincial debt has been  
increased to \$9,632,141.

For the average taxpayer who is  
not familiar with the financial de-  
tails of the provincial treasury de-  
partment, it is difficult to understand  
how there can be a surplus of half  
a million dollars when the province  
is still more than nine million  
dollars farther in the hole.

This may all be explained by  
columns of assets and liabilities,  
revenue and expenditures, but to  
the average taxpayer the picture  
collected \$25,176 more than it spent,  
and in doing so added \$9,632,141 to  
the provincial debt.

### BUYING DUCKS

Give me a gun and some old marsh,  
And the whistle of wild ducks  
wings.

When the roar of my shotgun  
wakes the moon  
And a hundred flying things.

The road has petered across the pond  
And the foot comes skidding in,  
And the newcoat jumps, I run the  
grass beyond,  
And the hunters all, he-he.

With a pop, pop here, and a bang,  
bang there.

The opening season's sign,  
And the next duck comes from the  
know no where.

Across the pro, sky-line  
And we judge the speed and the  
proper head.

As only a hunter can,  
There's a knock, too, and a coun-  
tership.

Among the hunter clan,  
There's a swinging of yards and a  
friendly tip.

And a meeting of man to man,  
So give me a gun and some old  
marsh,  
And the whistle of wild ducks  
wings.

When the roar of my shotgun wakes  
the moon  
And a hundred flying things.

Service Plus  
Slogan: "Your little girl wants to  
kiss you over the phone."  
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sage and I'll get it from you later."

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE OF GEORGE  
HERBERT TRAVIS, late of Bassano,  
Province of Alberta, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all  
persons having claims upon the es-  
tate of the above named GEORGE  
HERBERT TRAVIS, who died on the  
28th day of June, A.D. 1930, are  
required to file with the undersigned  
by the 15th day of December, A.D.  
1930, a full statement, duly verified,  
of their claims and of any securities  
held by them, and that after that  
date the Executor will distribute  
the assets of the deceased among  
the parties entitled thereto having  
regard only to the claims of which  
notice has been so filed or which  
have been brought to their attention.

DATED this 24th day of October,  
A.D. 1930.  
WILLIAM MCLEWS,  
Solicitor for the Executor,  
Bassano, Alberta.  
17-15-c

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM  
MCKENZIE, late of Bassano, in the  
Province of Alberta, Rancher, De-  
ceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all  
persons having claims upon the es-  
tate of the above named WILLIAM  
MCKENZIE, who died on the 13th  
day of May, A.D. 1930, are required  
to file with the undersigned by the  
15th day of December, A.D. 1930, a  
full statement, duly verified, of their  
claims and of any securities held by  
them, and that after that date the  
Executor will distribute the assets of  
the deceased among the parties en-  
titled thereto having regard only to  
the claims of which notice has been  
so filed or which have been brought  
to his attention.

Dated this 24th day of October,  
A.D. 1930.

WILLIAM MCLEWS,  
Solicitor for the Executor,  
Bassano, Alberta.  
17-15-c

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE OF FRANCIS  
JAMES FITZSIMMONDS, late of  
Husman, in the Province of Alberta,  
Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all per-  
sons having claims upon the Estate  
of the above named Francis James  
Fitzsimmonds, who died on the 1st  
day of July, 1930, are required to  
file with the undersigned Solicitor  
for the Administrator by the 15th  
day of December, 1930, a full state-  
ment duly verified of their claims  
and of any securities held by them,  
and that after that date the Ad-  
ministrator will distribute the  
assets of the deceased among the  
parties entitled thereto, having re-  
gard only to the claims of which  
notice has been so filed, or which  
have been brought to her knowledge.  
Dated this 3rd day of November,  
1930.

A. L. WILLIAMS,  
Solicitor for the Administrator,  
Standard, Alberta.  
15-29-c

Answered at Long  
Sue: "What are the wild waves  
saying?"  
He: "Sounds like 'splash.'"

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States  
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## LEAVE THE LIQUOR ACT ALONE. BEWARE OF THE CAMPAIGN OF MISREPRESENTATION

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The present Liquor Act allows beer to contain up to 4 1/2 p.c. alcohol.

Alberta Breweries keep well under this. Their beers range from 3.6 p.c. to 4 p.c. in alcoholic content.

**BEER IS PALATABLE  
and an EXCEEDINGLY  
MODERATE DRINK**

Compare this with whisky or brandy,  
ten times the strength of beer. Draw  
your own conclusions!

**DO NOT SIGN THE PRO-  
HIBITION PETITION. IT  
MEANS CANCELLING  
LICENSES OF ALL CLUBS  
AND BEER ROOMS**

Leave the Act alone. We don't  
want the bootlegger back again.

**Moderation League of Alberta Inc.**



**What shall we give?**

**BACK** through the centuries Christmas has always been a time for the giving of presents—big or little things to delight and gladden the hearts of children and their elders.

Keep alive the spirit of your gift. Let it bring happiness and contentment from Christmas to Christmas. Solve your gift problem by giving a Bank Book.

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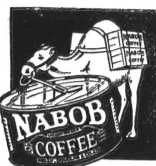
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ads and cooking,  
1 lb. tin .39

DYSON'S SWEET MIXED OR MUSTARD  
PICKLES, in quart jars, per jar .35

P. & G. SOAP, 10 bars for .38

LARD, 5 lb. pail, Swifts or  
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SUNLIGHT SOAP, 4 in carton .19



PINK SALMON, tall  
tins, per tin .18

BROOMS, Union Jack  
4 string brooms,  
special .39

NABOB COFFEE,  
per tin .52

MARKET DAY  
PRUNE, 4 lb. pkg. .37

SODAS, I. B. C. family  
size .19

## Bassano Trading Company

Turn on the Heat  
Flapper: "Don't you speak to him any more?"  
Ditto: "No! Whenever I pass him I give him the geological survey."  
"Geological survey?"  
"Well, I should say so. I am an insurance agent."

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due on them in  
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a fraction of their  
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Provincial Treasurer

W. V. NEWSON  
Deputy Prov. Treasurer

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## Local News

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Coleman and daughter moved down from Calgary to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. F. Praggell.

Dr. and Mrs. Oleg Haworth attended the armistice ball in Calgary Tuesday evening. Mrs. Haworth went on to Edmonton for a short visit.

Miss Mary Cathro, who is teaching school at Rockville, north of Hinesgar, spent Thanksgiving at her home in Bassano.

F. Praggell left on Monday for a trip to Calgary and Edmonton to visit with relatives.

Miss Gladys Hayes spent Thanksgiving with her sister in Calgary.

Miss E. McArthur was in Calgary for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Willie Catgno, of the Royal Bank staff at Beynon, Alta., spent Thanksgiving at his home here.

Miss Frances Labor spent the Thanksgiving week-end with friends in Carleton.

Miss Irene Magee was a visitor in Calgary last week-end.

Wm. Cathro, of Keno, Yukon, is visiting in Bassano with his brother D. Cathro. He is on his way to Scotland for a visit.

Frank Reeves, of Hinesgar, was in town Sunday and Monday visiting Mrs. Reeves who is a patient in the Bassano Hospital.

Allan Yale was a visitor to Calgary last Saturday.

Dr. Simmons, of Gleichen, spent Thanksgiving in Bassano with Dr. A. G. Root.

Harry Spence was in Carleton for Thanksgiving, visiting with his parents.

Jakey Bulmer and Len Higgins spent the week-end in Medicine Hat.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davie, of Carleton, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. Cathro.

## HEALTH SERVICE of the CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSN DIABETES

Diabetes is one of the metabolic diseases. Metabolism is the "cover" by which our body's make use of the food we eat and the air we breathe, thus providing the energy required for the material needed for growth and repair.

The sugars and starches which we eat are converted into glucose, which is used by the body to provide energy. If more glucose is available than is required, the surplus is stored up in the liver as glycogen. This store of glucose is called up on when the body calls for more energy food.

Diabetes upsets this normal functioning. The cells of the body are made to use glucose, and the liver is consequently unable to store up glycogen. There is an excess of glucose in the blood, which is passed off in the urine, and so, in diabetes, the body is starved.

## Ask him if he is HARD UP

The man who keeps cows and sells cream will say no—his cows pay the bills.  
We always try to satisfy our customers. If there is anything wrong we try to make it right.

**BASSANO CREAMERY**  
Bassano, Alberta Phone 33

there is sugar present in the urine. Diabetes results from injury to a part of the pancreas which normally secretes a substance called insulin, the substance that enables the body cells to use glucose. The cause of the injury to the pancreas is not known, so we do not know what is responsible for diabetes. We do know that diabetes occurs most frequently among those whose weight is above normal. Overweight usually arises from a diet that contains an excess of sugar and starches. The enormous increase in the consumption of sugar during the past fifty years may be an important factor in the increase of diabetes. The disease is highly prevalent in those countries which show the highest per capita consumption of sugar.

In 1929, Dr. Frederick G. Banting discovered that it was possible to secure insulin from the pancreas of young animals and to supply the substance to human beings suffering from diabetes, thus furnishing them with the insulin which their own damaged pancreas cannot supply.

Insulin is not, nor was it ever claimed to be a cure for diabetes. It is a remedy which, when properly used, makes it possible to control diabetes in a way which has never been possible before. The use of insulin does not mean that in the treatment, diet is any less important. Before the discovery of insulin the only treatment was diet. Today, by means of a carefully regulated diet and the use of insulin, when necessary, the diabetic can lead a comparatively normal life.

The case will not be cured. Care can never be relaxed. Supervision by a physician to keep the diet and insulin adjusted to the needs of the case is absolutely necessary. A "hit or miss" type of treatment leads to disaster. Continuous and careful supervision of treatment by means of diet and insulin rules diabetes off its terrors.

Questions concerning health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College St., Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

Make Him Smile, Smile, Smile, Beauty Specialist: "Yes, madam, I remember lifting your face."  
Client: "That's right. And now I wish you could lift my husband's. As soon as you see your bill it dropped badly."

And now your husband getting on with his coloring exercises."  
"You'd be surprised that bathing 'em' did fattened on it. I checked now only a revolution."

POUR SALE: Holstein milk cow, still milking, fresh between Dec. 1st and 15th. J. H. Harsh, Hinesgar, Alta. 19.

POUR SALE: Gasoline Intern, gasoline stove, small cooking range; the pair for cash. J. A. Harris, box 144, Bassano. 19-21 p.

**A Real Bargain**  
McClary's "Boss" station master type heating stove.

Also Auto Trailer, Oil Drums, etc.

**E. A. Beck, Bassano**



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Public Building, Drumheller, Alberta," will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, November 25, 1936, for the construction of a public building at Drumheller, Alberta.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, the Resident Architect, Asst. Resident General's Bldg., Calgary, Alberta, and the Postmaster, Drumheller, Alberta.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the department, and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender. Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or Bonds of the Canadian National Railways Company will be accepted as security, or bonds and a cheque if required to make up an odd amount.

Note: Blue prints can be obtained at the office of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, by depositing an accepted cheque for the sum of \$20.00, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, which will be returned if the intending bidder submits a regular bid.

By order,  
N. DESJARDINS,  
Secretary,  
Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, October 20, 1936. 19-21 p.

## CANADA'S FINEST Lager Beers

**FIVE FAMOUS BRANDS  
ONE QUALITY--THE BEST**

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## THE DUSTY HIGHWAY

—BY—  
CHRISTINE WHITING

PARMOUR

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CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

"I believe," he said, turning with mock severity to Gay, "that you've been telling on me."

Simon Bartlett chuckled as he replied: "The ain't told nothing I can't keep beforehand, boy. You've got a sort of 'conscience' way about you. If you hadn't, do you believe this little gal would've picked up her duds and started off at a minute's notice?"

"It was thirty minutes," Nick corrected, "and she didn't keep me waiting either! Well, we must be off. A thousand thanks, Mr. Bartlett, for this happy week."

"Good luck!" called Simon Bartlett as they strode away.

And good luck had followed them. Through the whole summer, rain came during the night. With few exceptions their days were bright and sparkling. They had no more of those picturesque New Hampshire, sleeping at farms when the chance came; of opening their nightgowns beneath the stars, and once accepting the hospitality of a Gypsy camp.

September found them in Maine, reveling in those first beautiful days that only at night give a hint of the colder days to come. They had climbed what their hostess of the night before had called "a mountain," which, though hardly deserving the name, showed them a wonderful, wide stretch of creasing waves.

"I'd almost forgotten that I loved the sea," said Nick. "Gay's let me sail for a warm sea."

"Money enough yet to take us South—or shall it be the big southwest we dreamed about?" Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico—deserts and mountains—canyons and waterfalls—California and the Pacific? Oh, my dear! Isn't it glorious?"

"Free?" It was then that fear clutched at the girl's heart. She was seated upon the ground, but Nick stood, his back to the wide expanse of blue, his hair blown away from his forehead, an open shirt revealing his strong young throat. As she looked up at him Gay thought that Simon Bartlett had lived all right—Nick had a conquering air about him. To think of shutting him up in that stuffy corner of the bank again seemed as cruel as clipping the wings of an eagle. Yet, she thought, with a quickening of her heart, even an eagle has its nest.

"Nick," she said, as he dropped beside her, "do you want only the best, tiny desire to settle down?"

He smiled, and quoted: "Who has not felt how sadly sweet, The dream of home, the dream of home."

"My dear girl, of course I think of settling down, as you prosaically put it, but not yet. We set out for the ends of the earth, I remember rightly, and we've reached only the edge of the Atlantic! Settle down? Gay, are you crazy, or why? What's the matter with you?"

She looked up, bravely fighting

back the tears, and said: "Nothing, Nick. I—Then so softly he had to bend to hear: 'Nick dear—I can't go on.'"

"Can't go on? Have I tired you out, or—Oh, Gay?"

He knew, then. The knowledge came with a blinding sense of chaos. Wonder and dismay went hand in hand. New-stirring fatherly pride fought savagely with a sense of dull defeat. Then love triumphed over self, and he thought only of Gay—fear for the terror for what he was to go through.

"Was the glass of—"

"His clasped hands tightened, and he pulled himself together to hear her say:—"

"You mustn't feel too bad about it, dear old boy. I—I've thought out everything. I'm going back, but you are to go on. Not don't speak. I can go back to Baker'sville alone. Nick that would be too hard. But I can stay with Mr. Bartlett. He'd like to have me—somehow I know I could give him pleasure. It—it won't be till spring, Nick, and perhaps by then you'll be on your feet. I'll be glad to see you. I should be so happy if I felt that you were happy! But you won't be satisfied unless you're free, Nick, and—"

"Free!" Nick tossed the word aside as impulsively as he had tossed his head and bundle on that bright May morning. "Free! and you back there with that old man? He put his arms about her. 'What sort of freedom would it be, Gay, darling? What do you take me for? Do you think I haven't any natural instincts, that I can't be happy over this as well as you? What a goose you are! Have you been losing sleep because you were afraid to tell me that our war derings are at an end?'"

He kissed her with a tenderness that brought her tears, even as she protested: "But it must be the end for you, dear. There's no reason—"

"There's the best of reasons," he insisted. "I tell you what, Gay (he was, to all appearances, enthusiastic), 'we'll go back by train and here 'The Bird's Nest' of Mr. Bartlett. We'll stay there through October; then, if nothing more interesting turns up, we'll go back to Baker'sville. We'll raise waiting for me whenever I want to claim it. John Maxwell told me so long I came away. As for the end of the earth, dear, why worry about something that'll keep? We'll have it to look forward to, you know."

Through her tears Gay threw him a look of gratitude, but further assurances proved futile.

"No, I shan't leave you," Nick declared soberly. "I should feel like a slacker. Dear, don't worry about my raising waiting for me whenever I want to claim it. John Maxwell told me so long I came away. As for the end of the earth, dear, why worry about something that'll keep? We'll have it to look forward to, you know."

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Look back on the days we've had together and answer that!"

"Oh, Nick," she said, while comfort swept through her, "I'm a laughing stock. 'I could know that you'd always feel sad. But you've only begun to stretch your wings, and who knows how long it will be before you can roam again? Nick, promise me something—promise you'll tell me if the time comes when you feel you must have more freedom. I—I couldn't bear to think that you were tugging at your leash."

"I promise," Nick answered soberly, meeting her mood; then added with all the confidence of youth: "But the time won't come!"

Two days later an amazed and beaming Simon Bartlett arose from a big room on his front porch, and greeted them with all the cordiality of a long-lost uncle.

"Jimmie Crickets! I was just wondering about you. Ain't had a card since you left Portland. Thought maybe you'd took the train for some fun—out port, or set sail for the Fiji Islands. And here you be, turnin' in my own front gate! Set down, ma'am. You're a sight for sore eyes, both of 'em, but when is thundering brings you back about a time?"

Gay flushed, but Nick answered: "Only the timorous and unquenchable desire for 'Home Sweet Home.' In other words, we want to hire your camp, and when cold weather comes out we'll go back to Baker'sville, and the state's portals of the First National Bank. May we have the card, Mr. Nick?"

"It ain't for rent—not at no price whatever; but you're welcome to use it as long as you see fit. But first you got to give me a spell, and tell me all about your travels. I ain't had a thing interesting happen since I got to go on. Not don't speak. I can go back to Baker'sville alone. Nick that would be too hard. But I can stay with Mr. Bartlett. He'd like to have me—somehow I know I could give him pleasure. It—it won't be till spring, Nick, and perhaps by then you'll be on your feet. I'll be glad to see you. I should be so happy if I felt that you were happy! But you won't be satisfied unless you're free, Nick, and—"

"Free!" Nick tossed the word aside as impulsively as he had tossed his head and bundle on that bright May morning. "Free! and you back there with that old man? He put his arms about her. 'What sort of freedom would it be, Gay, darling? What do you take me for? Do you think I haven't any natural instincts, that I can't be happy over this as well as you? What a goose you are! Have you been losing sleep because you were afraid to tell me that our war derings are at an end?'"

He kissed her with a tenderness that brought her tears, even as she protested: "But it must be the end for you, dear. There's no reason—"

"There's the best of reasons," he insisted. "I tell you what, Gay (he was, to all appearances, enthusiastic), 'we'll go back by train and here 'The Bird's Nest' of Mr. Bartlett. We'll stay there through October; then, if nothing more interesting turns up, we'll go back to Baker'sville. We'll raise waiting for me whenever I want to claim it. John Maxwell told me so long I came away. As for the end of the earth, dear, why worry about something that'll keep? We'll have it to look forward to, you know."

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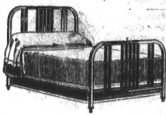
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### Local News

Mrs. McCall, of Calgary, was in Bassano for Thanksgiving, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. P. Thompson.

A. T. Connolly was a visitor to Calgary early this week.

Miss Amelia Gronberg went to Calgary Thursday to attend the nurses' convention.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McMillan and children were in Calgary for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Halliday, of Crossfield, were Thanksgiving guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. P. C. McCrae.

Mr. and Mrs. McFarlane were visiting in Crossfield over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Flanagan and children spent Thanksgiving at Hinton with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Flanagan.

Mrs. W. P. Keith and Mrs. E. P. Currie were in Calgary over the week-end.

The following births are reported at the Bassano Hospital: a son, to Mr. and Mrs. R. Condorash, of Rosemary, on Wed. Nov. 5. A son, to Mr. and Mrs. S. James, of Gern, on Saturday, Nov. 1. A daughter, to Mrs. Iwinski, of Chandler, on Thursday, Nov. 12.

The W. A. of the Anglican Church will hold a tea, sale of home cooking and fancy work at the home of Mrs. Struthers on Saturday, Dec. 6, from 3 to 6 p.m.

Remember the Knox Church Ladies Aid chicken supper next Wednesday evening in the Odd-fellows' Hall.

### CRAWLING VALLEY

Mrs. Frank Thew was visiting last week with Mrs. Nels Smith at Mapleton.

Mrs. Dutch Bryant is expected back Monday.

Mrs. Donald McKinley and son went at the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McKelvey left for the station on a visit on Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Whitley and Mrs. Roy Robson were in Bassano last Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Whitley were Sunday visitors at the Cye home.

Mrs. R. Robson and several of this community attended the sale of Mr. Jones at Heyman, Monday.

Mrs. E. J. Harper who underwent an operation in Drumheller hospital last Tuesday is reported to be doing fine. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Blain Squires left last Monday for California for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gattie and family moved on the Riley for the winter to be close to school.

Frank Thew moved. Nels Smith and family to their new home at Hill Springs, Alberta. Mr. Smith is pool elevator man at that point.

Mrs. Dave Cye has the deepest sympathy of her many friends in her sad bereavement.

Mrs. F. Thew and Gladys, Mrs. R. Robson, and Trellis Mae, Mrs. Nat. Bryant, and Mrs. Frank Harper were down to Drumheller to visit Mrs. E. J. Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harper returned from the States last Tuesday.

### RAILWAY CROSSINGS

#### TAKE HEAVY TOLL

OTAWA, Nov. 12. According to returns made by the Board of Railway Commissioners, and 27 crossing accidents have occurred at protected crossings and 22 at unprotected crossings. Fifty-four persons were killed and 263 injured. In Canada in railway and railway crossing accidents during the month of July. Railway accidents totalled 184, involving 46 killed and 219 injured, while railway crossing accidents numbered 27 and involved 6 persons killed and 44 injured.

Waiting to be shown "Whaffo" you sidrepain' 'at rano?"

"Woman, they's a path o' gennuine's shoes undeh yo' bed. If they ain't no niggah IN them shoes—Ah'm gonna shave."

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
Rev. P. C. McCrae, minister  
Sunday, November 16, 1930

11 a.m.—Sunday School. The teachers will meet at the close of the school to arrange for the Christmas Entertainment.

2.00 p.m.—Service at Lathrup.

7.30 p.m.—Evening Worship; subject, "The Other Side of the Hill."

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3 lbs. .... 1.00  
PRUNES, California, choice pack, 2 lb. cartons ..... 25  
APRICOTS, finest Australian; another fresh lot, 2 lbs. .... 47  
RAISINS, Australian; we have already sold a large quantity of this delicious and very necessary fruit; 4 lb. bags ..... 53  
JELLY POWDER, Malkin's Best; nothing better; full sized packets; 5 pkts. .... 29  
GRAHAM WAFERS, family size pkt 41  
CANNED TOMATOES, large tins; 7 tins ..... 1.00  
GOLDEN LOAF CHEESE, full 2 1/2 lb. boxes; this is a full cream cheese; not a skim milk variety; per box ..... 89  
CHIPSO, 2 pkts ..... 45

CANNED PEAS, No. 2 tins, Blue Ridge; 7 tins ..... \$1.00  
P. & G. SOAP, 22 bars ..... 95  
FAIRSEX TOILET SOAP, this is a French milled soap and made by the Palmolive and Colgate Co. Good value at ..... 69c per dozen  
SOMETHING NEW, TOMATO JUICE pure and undiluted; on sale regularly at ..... 2 tins ..... 25  
CORONA COFFEE, freshly ground or in the beans; 1 lb. 45c; 3 lbs. \$1.25  
Buying this coffee is real economy  
TEA: Economy Orange Pekoe; 1 lb. pkt. .... 45c; 3 lbs. .... \$1.25  
Wonderful value, and can only be bought at an A. G. store.  
GRAPE FRUIT, Florida, large size; extra special; 2 for 25c; 1 doz. \$1.45  
MCINTOSH RED APPLES, all wrapped and graded; per case \$2.25  
Car of winter apples expected to arrive this week.

## Ladies' Wear and Dry Goods

Ladies' Sweaters, \$4.95

Specials in Ladies' Silk & Wool Sweaters of excellent quality, smart new colors; reg. \$5.95 for—  
\$4.85

Silk Dresses, \$8.95

Five only Ladies' Silk Crepe de Chine Dresses; heavy quality crepe in latest styles and values to \$15.00.  
\$8.95

Silk Hose, \$1.50

Holeproof quality, service weight, full fashioned, guaranteed for wear; reg. \$1.95 for—  
\$1.50 a pair

Pure Wool Hose, 95c

Fashioned leg, garter tops; very special; reg. \$1.25; 95c a pair



## :: Men's Wear Department ::

Mackinaw Coats, \$6.95

Men's Pure Wool Mackinaw Coats, heavy weight, of excellent quality; priced to make them sell; special price \$6.95 each

Men's Combinations, \$1.50

Special on Men's Fleece Combinations, heavy quality; reg. \$1.95 for—  
\$1.50 a suit

Men's Sweaters, \$5.50

Men's Pure Wool Sweater Coats, heavy knit, in greys and fawns; special—  
\$5.50 each



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